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**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF
MISSING REQUIREMENTS**

Attorney Docket No.	1454.1086
Application Number	09/913,487
I.A. Filing Date	February 4, 2000
First Named Inventor	Hans-Georg BAUMGARTEN
Group Art Unit	

Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR STORING AND ACCESSING AN OBJECT BY A COMPUTER (as amended)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f) and in response to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. § 371 mailed September 28, 2001 for the above-identified application, enclosed are the following:

- Executed Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney executed by the inventor for completing the missing parts of the subject application. The undersigned registered attorney states that the subject application is the application which the inventor executed by signing the attached Declaration.
- Formal Drawings (___ Sheets; Figs. ___)
- English-language translation of application (with Translator's Statement (pages ___))
- Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status

Enclosed is a payment of the following:

- The filing fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a) \$
- The additional claim(s) fee (claims over 20) \$
- The additional independent claim(s) fee (claims over 3) \$
- Multiple dependent claims \$
- Petition for Extension of Time (___ -month) \$
- English language translation fee \$
- Surcharge as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e) \$130.00

SUBTOTAL FEES: \$130.00

- Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.27) .00

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TOTAL FEES DUE:

\$130.00

Since the Notification of Missing Requirements set an original due date of __, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110)); (2 months (\$400)); (3 months (\$920)); (4 months (\$1,440)); (5 months (\$1,960));

METHOD OF PAYMENT

Check enclosed as payment.
 Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. 19-3935, below.

AUTHORIZATION

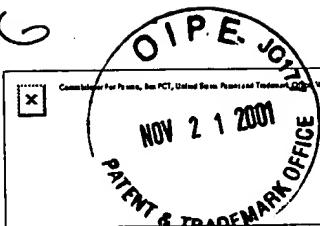
If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 necessary to maintain pendency of the present application to:

Deposit Account No.: 19-3935

Deposit Account Name: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

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Missing Parts Due: 11/28/01

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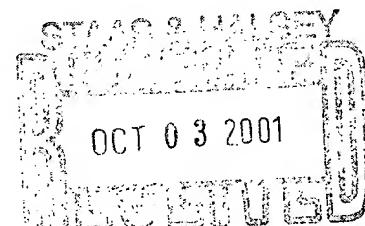
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Information Disclosure Statements
- Preliminary Amendments
- Request for Immediate Examination
- Substitute Specification



The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- **\$130** Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 30 months months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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